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YOU CAN'T FOOL ALL THE PEOPLE ALL THE TIME. SOME OF THEM ARE FOOLING YOU.—Maurice Scitler.

# The BETHUEL OXFORD COUNTY CITIZEN

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## THE LEGISLATURE

by Chick Evans

As the 96th closed its fifth week of deliberations a plan was set in motion to speed up the law-making function. The Senate will be asked to approve a House plan to hold committee hearings both mornings and afternoons on Wednesday. The two houses would meet at 1:00 p. m. on Wednesday instead of 10 a. m. Up to now the convening hour has been 10 a. m. on Tuesdays and Wednesdays, and 1:00 p. m. Thursdays.

The final date for introduction of private and special bills is Thursday (Feb. 7). The deadline for public measures will be Feb. 14. After those closure dates, bills and resolves can be introduced only by unanimous consent in both branches.

### General Fund Money For Highway Purposes

Use of revenue from an increase in the state sales tax to make up part of the deficit in highway funds, proposed by the Maine Municipal Association, would be authorized in a measure which Senator Norman K. Ferguson says he will introduce. The appropriation from the general fund for this purpose would amount of \$2,700,000 a year. The Ferguson bill would approximately provide the money needed to match federal funds available for the interstate highway in Maine in the coming two fiscal years. Federal money totals about \$44,000,000, with the federal government paying 90 per cent of the cost of interstate roads.

Gov. Muskie had considered diverting general fund revenue to highways, but abandoned that course because, he said, the money was needed for general fund agencies. His alternative was that the highway deficit, \$8,000,000 to \$12,000,000 a year, be made up with a bond issue.

Sen. Ferguson said he agreed with the idea of a one per cent increase in the sales tax, but recommended "holding the line" on exemptions.

Maine's Democratic Governor made lots of legislative news this past week. He told the Citizens Committee on State Government that he needed more help, he agreed that weekly bi-partisan and informal meetings would expedite the work of the 96th Legislature, and he grumbled to the Executive Council about the size of the light bill.

Speaking to the Citizens group, he pleaded for more staff services and more space, pointing out that his successor would benefit more than himself. On the motion of Senate President Robert N. Haskell, Bangor, the committee voted unanimously to ask the Legislature for an extra \$80,000 a year to hire additional executive assistants and for assignment of space doubling that at present. The Governor outlined his responsibilities, placing major emphasis on supervision of 29 major departments and some 80 minor agencies, policy making and planning, appointments, action as chief of state, informal hearings on appeals from decisions of state departments, and action as a legislator. The proposal for an extra \$80,000 would roughly double the amount now available for the governor's staff.

In the matter of bi-partisan legislative discussions, the governor said he had conferred with leaders of the two parties in both branches of the Legislature and all agreed it would be a good idea. The meetings were scheduled to start at the Maine House on Monday. "I think we might be able to—continued on page five"

## COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

Once more we are privileged to assume part of the fight against heart diseases during the month of February. Even when we realize that this disease is the cause of over half our deaths, it is comforting to know that many people are now able to live nearly normal lives who have had some symptoms of trouble. Do we realize that quite a portion of our donations are being used for research and education for those who have been afflicted?

Mrs. Roy Moore has charge of the house to house donations. Bethel Savings Bank friends have kindly consented to receive the money during the drive. Richard Bryant, business district, James Hutchins, mills and wood working plants, Mr. Ireland and Mr. Christie, schools.

Best wishes to these workers and let's hope we have a creditable showing for Bethel as in the past.

Thanks,

O. T. Rozelle

## GRAND JURY GIVES INDICTMENTS WEDNESDAY

One secret indictment was reported when the grand jury rose at the session of Superior Court at Rumford Wednesday afternoon. Indictments made public are:

Thomas Runahan, Paris, willfully shooting and killing a dog owned by Harley Stevens of Paris. Two indictments.

Philip F. Winslow, Mechanic Falls, drunken driving.

Richard N. Henry, Mexico, driving so as to endanger.

Chester O. Frost, Lewiston, driving so as to endanger.

Robert Pirainen, Paris, breaking, entering and larceny at Oxford.

Walter Merritt, Mexico, breaking, entering, and larceny at building owned by William Blake, Mexico.

Walter Merritt, Mexico, breaking, entering, and larceny at building owned by Katerina and Charles Vangel, Mexico.

Henry L. Dohahn, Richard P. Leonard, and Edgar R. Pickett, all of Brunswick, breaking, entering, and larceny at Greenwood.

## BOY SCOUTS OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY WEEK

National Boy Scout Week is being observed by Cub Scout Pack 488. The Cubs will wear their uniforms all the week. Friday evening, the annual Blue and Gold Banquet for Cubs and parents will be held at the West Parish Congregational Church dining room. This affair will be under the supervision of Den Mothers and members of the church, the sponsoring organization. This banquet which is also a regular pack meeting will be in celebration of the 49th anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America. On February 10 the Cubs will attend the morning worship service at the Methodist Church.

The nation's 4,500,000 Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Explorers, and adult leaders will mark the 47th anniversary of their organization during Boy Scout Week, February 6 to 12.

The observance has as its theme, "Onward for God and My Country" with a special emphasis on "Duty to Country."

Sunday, February 10, is Boy Scout Sunday. Scouts and leaders will attend religious services in uniform in countless churches of all denominations. Those of Jewish faith will hold their observance in synagogues and temples on Friday evening, February 8, and Saturday, February 9. Many sermons, addressed to Scouts, will touch on some aspect of the Boy Scout Week theme.

In hundreds of communities, Scouts, their parents, and institutions sponsoring Scout units, will unite in paying their respects to the volunteer adult leaders whose contributions of time and effort in behalf of youth makes these units possible.

National Scout officials say that 48.7 per cent of all Scout units—and there are 111,000 of them—are made possible by the sponsorship of churches and synagogues of all faiths. Civic groups make possible 19.8 per cent of Scout units in all three age levels.

Many store windows will be given over to Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, and Explorers for displays of their handicraft and to demonstrate some of the useful skills they acquire through their programs.

In countless elementary, junior high, and high schools Boy Scout Week will be recognized in school assemblies through flag ceremonies, acts, and stunts by Cub Scouts, exhibits of handicrafts by Scouts, motion pictures of Scouting activities, demonstration of Scouting skills and talks by boys of some of their adventuresome activities.

Traditionally on February 8, the actual birthday date of the organization, Scouts and leaders recommend themselves to the Scout Oath or Promise at 8:15 p. m. in each of the four time zones. These ceremonies will take place in some instances, at Scout family birthday dinners, while some Cub Scout leaders, Boy Scout patrols and Explorer crews will meet in homes of members. Others will meet with their parents in churches and synagogues.

At these Boy Scout Week celebrations many units will review the program highlights and the successes of the first year in the Four Year Program "Onward for God and My Country" camping and other outdoor activities, and planning for participation in the Fourth National Jamboree which is expected to attract more than 80,000 Scouts, Explorers, and leaders for a week of camping together at historic Valley Forge, Pa., next July 12 to 18.

Mrs. Richard Davis and daughter, Kathy, returned Sunday from the St. Louis Hospital, Berlin, N. H.

The Methodist Sunday School teachers met Tuesday, Feb. 6, at the home of Miss Miss Stevens. There was a discussion of holding a Vacation Bible School. It was voted to contact Mr. Moore concerning a director. There will be a World Day of Prayer Service for Children on Sunday, March 10.

At the meeting of the Bethel Chamber of Commerce Tuesday evening, Rev. Herbert Houghton of Waterville gave an interesting account of the problems attending the building of the Stephens Memorial Hospital at Norway which opened on Monday of this week. The next meeting will be a combined meeting with the Lions Club Feb. 24.

## MRS. ETHEL W. METCALF

Mrs. Ethel W. Metcalf, widow of J. Clinton Metcalf, died Sunday afternoon at Franklin County Memorial Hospital, Farmington, where she had been a patient for six weeks.

She was born at Bethel, Sept. 16, 1873, daughter of Seth and Mary Mason Walker. She was educated at Gould Academy, Bridgton Academy and Westbrook Seminary.

For the past 24 years she had lived at Farmington. She was a member of the Monday Club and the Unitarian Church. She was a past member of the Unitarian Church Alliance, Colonial Daughters Chapter, DAR, and Nutter Club, and was a member of the book committee of the Farmington Library Association for many years.

Surviving are a granddaughter, Mrs. Douglas G. Dickson of New York City, and a son-in-law, Carroll S. Mitchell of Augusta, husband of the late Theresa Metcalf Mitchell.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Adams funeral home. Interment was in the family lot at Fairview Cemetery.

## JOHN COMPASS

The devotion to duty and faithfulness to trust of our late friend, John Compass, has long been an inspiration to fellow workers and American Legion members. He always gave of his best.

A chef by trade, he was an excellent one. During many years of service in the kitchens of Gould Academy, he and his wife served memorable banquets, fondly remembered by older students and guests at Commencement.

After falling health forced his retirement, he kept busy with volunteer work and serving the Mundt-Alten Post. He was a dependable member in any office.

When Memorial Day comes his untiring interest in searching out and decorating the graves of the oldest soldiers, as well as placing the gay flags on the graves of the brave young boys who gave their lives in World War II, will be missed.

Jack was a good time, ever generous with his catch. His pleasure in catching trout was matched by his habit of giving them to his neighbors.

His abounding good nature and good cheer belied the pain that was his constant companion during his last years. Not even to his nearest and dearest would he admit his frequent misery.

To the peaceful abodes of the best.

From the blessings of heaven no more to roam;

At home in the realms of rest.

## HOSPITAL AUXILIARY HOLDS MONTHLY MEETING

Bethel Auxiliary of the Rumford Community Hospital held its monthly meeting Monday Feb. 4 at the home of Eva Perry with Annie Hastings, assisting.

Plans for the Silver Tea, Feb. 6, at the Goodhue home were discussed. Also plans for a benefit picnic crew will meet in homes of members. Others will meet with their parents in churches and synagogues.

Three people were named for the Board of Directors: Agnes Thurston, Ruth Land and Praline McMillan.

The next meeting will be at the home of Praline McMillan with Det York assisting.

The Evening Extension Group will meet at the Home Economics Cottage on Tuesday, Feb. 12 at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Wallace Saunders will lead the program on "Adequate Storage." Members are asked to bring any pictures or ideas on storage they may have.

**NOTICE**  
To the Voters of the Town of Greenwood:  
I wish to announce that I shall not be a candidate for any town office at annual March meeting.

JAMES W. RING

**NOTICE**  
BEGINNING FEB. 6, 1957  
My office hours will be as follows:  
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 1-4 P. M.  
Wednesday 8-11 A. M.

Tuesday and Thursday evenings and Saturday morning by appointment only.  
Emergencies will be seen at any time.

JOHN P. LANNI, M. D.

## INTERNAL REVENUE BUREAU OFFERING PHONE AID SERVICE

Many progressive businesses have in recent years stressed the ease and speed of telephone in their contacts with the public. The Internal Revenue Service this year is intensifying its adaptation of the idea to provide assistance to Federal income taxpayers with problems.

District Director Wheeler of the Augusta District said today that phone information service will be available at the Bangor, Lewiston and Portland offices Monday through Friday from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. during the current filing season. The number to be called—for 1956 income tax help only—are Bangor, 2-4833; Lewiston, 4-6410; Portland, Spruce 2-2034. Telephone service will be available at the Augusta office, Mayfair 3-8401, between the hours 8 a. m. to 4:45 p. m. Monday through Friday.

"We began to emphasize our program of assistance by telephone during last year's filing period," Mr. Wheeler recalled. "It was a big help to taxpayers and we were very pleased at the response. We think, from our study of last year's program, that a majority of taxpayer questions can be satisfactorily answered and computations explained over the phone."

"From his table at home or his office desk, the taxpayer with a question can call us up, with his form and records before him, and get a clear and understandable answer. There is no distraction, and, at this time, there is no waiting. As the filing season approaches April, of course, we can't guarantee that one or the other of our information lines will always be open. The best advice I have is to start your return, find your problem, if any, and call us now."

Information will still be provided during scheduled taxpayer assistance periods for those who do not believe that they can obtain adequate aid over the phone, Mr. Wheeler said.

## GENERAL MANAGER OF MAIR'S HILL POTATO CONCERN

Edward R. Little, 23-year-old graduate of the University of Maine, has been appointed General Manager of the WASA potato company in Mars Hill, according to an announcement by Milton Adelman, treasurer of the corporation.

Little, for the past eight years employed by Gould & Smith, Inc., Presque Isle, entered the WASA organization with an extensive background in the manufacture of potato harvesting and handling equipment.

General Manager Little is married, has two children, and plans to move to Mars Hill soon to be near his new position.

Mr. Little, a native of Bethel, made his home with his grandparents, the late Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Jolley, until going to work at Presque Isle. He was graduated from Gould Academy in 1944 and the University of Maine in 1949. Since a year after his graduation he has been with Gould & Smith, Inc.

## FAIR WEATHER

The past week has been without rainfall and has generally comfortable weather. Readings were around 40 on Sunday, Monday and Wednesday. This Thursday and last night there but on Monday morning it was 23 and more above in places. Expecting Sunday and Monday the days have been mainly sunny.

Mrs. Sandra Myers, Colby College, and Mrs. Mary Anne Myers, Wheaton College, are spending a few days between semesters with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Myers.

**VALENTINE'S SUPPER**  
Feb. 15, 1957 6:30-8:30 p. m.  
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Adults 75c Children 25c  
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Except Thursday Afternoons and Sundays  
Tel. 24



## LOCALS

Mrs. Wayne Strout has been confined to her home this week.

Miss Glenyce Berry has entered the Maine School of Practical Nursing at Presque Isle.

Mrs. John Angeline of Berlin is spending some time visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Angeline.

Mrs. Abbie Brown visited her daughter, Miss Arlene Brown, in Haverhill, Mass., the past week.

The MEC's will meet at Fern Jordan's Feb. 11 at 8:30 p. m. for a pot luck supper. All Rebekahs are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tebbets and family moved during the weekend to their new home on Eden Lane, Paradise Hill.

Paul Thurston, Henry Hastings, Murray Thurston, with Daniel Wright, Rumford, spent the week end in Boston.

Paul Fossett, Yale University, New Haven, Conn., was a week end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Fossett.

Dr. and Mrs. Raymond Zorby of Auburn were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dana Douglas Jr. on Sunday.

Mrs. Dale Thurston had as guests on Wednesday Mrs. Robert Miller of Riddellville and Mrs. Bernard Nichols of Buffalo, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. David Bennett and daughter, Sandra, of Orono, spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodman Barlow of Stillwater recently spent a few days with Mrs. Barlow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Chapman, during the mid-year recess at the U. of M. Orono.

Miss Helen Varner attended a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Maine Teachers' Association at Augusta during the week end. Plans were made for the convention at Portland next fall.

Pet Maurice B. Dorey, son of Mrs. Geraldine M. Dorey, recently was graduated from the automotive maintenance course at the Army's Ordnance School, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md. Pet Dorey entered the Army last June and received basic training at Fort Dix, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeland Clark left Wednesday on a trip to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jones of Lewiston were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert York, Saturday.

A pleasant Candlemas (or Groundhog) Day forecast a continued season of winter weather.

The meeting of the Five Town Teachers Club scheduled for March 4 has been postponed to March 11.

Mrs. Ralph Berry arrived home Saturday after spending several days at the CMG Hospital in Lewiston.

Mrs. Herbert Kittredge arrived home Sunday after spending several days at the CMG Hospital in Lewiston.

Miss Joan Bennett from the Maine Medical Center in Portland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bennett, over the week end.

Barry York returned to the University of Maine, Sunday, after spending several days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert York.

Mrs. Albert Sauter and three children of Portland returned home Monday after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Foster.

Rev. and Mrs. Clifford Laws were in town Wednesday. They will move into the Congregational Manse the middle of March. Rev. Laws will preach here March 3.

Mrs. Leiland Brown returned Sunday after spending a few days to Portland. Jeff and Karen Brown have been staying with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gard Brown.

Ten ladies of the Women's Fellowship of the Congregational Church attended a supper and meeting of the Norway Women's Fellowship last Thursday at Norway.

The speaker was Mrs. Betty Gilgren, Danvers, Me., local action chairman of the state organization.

A Silver Valentine Tea will be held from 3:00 to 4:00 p. m. Thursday, Feb. 14, at the home of Mrs. Elwood Ireland. The tea is sponsored by Elsie B. Womack Fellowship, Mrs. Elsie Gough, leader.

Mrs. Elwood Ireland, co-leader, Mrs. Thomas Brown, project chairman. Friends are cordially invited to attend.

The Five Town Teachers' Club met Monday at Crescent Park School. A report on the MTA Assembly meeting at Augusta was given by Miss Helen Varner, representative of the assembly.

A letter concerning the MTA Centennial Birthday to be held April 4 was read. A discussion period, concerning teachers' salaries, insurance, etc., was led by Capt. Christie. Refreshments were served by Capt. Christie, Charles Heine, and Miss Alice Ballard. The next meeting will be March 11 with the committee, Miss Alice Ballard, Mrs. Doris Lund, and Mrs. Frances Brown.

The girls of Mrs. S. S. Greenleaf's class in the Methodist Sunday School met at her home Wednesday evening. After a work period during which they made scrapbook treatments were enjoyed. Girls' books, games were played and tea of the class was Cynthia Freeman, Carol Flint, Cheryl Greenleaf, Grace Haines, Martha Keniston, Diane Lockrup, Jane Lorton, Ellen Milla, Linda Paine, Norma Sloan, Catherine Swain, Mary Swetzer.

## The Week in Oxford County

There were 188 registered at the monthly meeting of the Oxford County Christian Youth Council at the Bridgton Methodist Church, Sunday. The council includes the churches of the county and the fringe towns of Cumberland County. The next meeting in April will be held in Bethel, date to be announced.

The drama, "The Ghost of Oak Mountain Lodge" will be put on by East Hibernia Grange at South Paris Grange Hall this Thursday evening. Proceeds will benefit the South Paris Dying Memorial Church Tower Fund.

Oxford County Division 2 of the Governor's Highway Safety Committee held a meeting in the municipal building, Rumford, Tuesday. District two includes Bangor, Presque Isle, Hallowell, Canton, Monmouth, Rumford.

Oxford is one of nine Maine counties reporting Motorists Association membership larger than

last year.

A loaded lumber truck operated by Cecil Williams of Harrison, and a sedan driven by Mrs. James Cleveland of Norway, were in collision in East Waterville Sunday. Two children, Joan and Jimmy Cleveland, were injured and hospitalized. The sedan was reported a total loss. The truck received an estimated damage of \$100.

Rev. Herbert R. Houghton announced Friday the opening of Stephens Memorial Hospital, Monday. Everything was in readiness for patients.

David Easton of Rockfield was one of the winners in the Freshman Prize Debate at Bates College Wednesday evening.

Leslie Chandler of Sweden died of a heart attack in a Portland hospital, Wednesday. He had been rescued from his burning home by Charles Flint, bus driver, and Mrs. Wilma Maine, a teacher, and suffered burns and smoke inhalation. Linda Swain, Mary Swetzer.







## Boy Scouts Mark 47th Birthday

ONWARD \*\*\*  
For God and My Country47th ANNIVERSARY  
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA  
1957

## OFFICIAL BOY SCOUT WEEK POSTER

More than 4,500,000 Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Explorers, and adult leaders throughout the nation will observe Boy Scout Week, February 8 to 12, marking the 47th anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America.

Since 1910, Scouting has served over 26,000,000 boys and adult leaders.

Through its Four-Year Program, "Onward for God and My Country," the organization seeks to train more boys in patriotism and character so that they will

become intelligent citizens with an appreciation of the free way of life and a dedication to high spiritual ideals.

Boy Scout Week observances will feature preparation for the Fourth National Jamboree, which will find 50,000 Scouts and leaders camping where Washington camped at historic Valley Forge, Pennsylvania, next July 12 to 18. The nation's 111,000 Scout units will feature rededication ceremonies on February 8, the actual birthday of Scouting in America.

## WEST PARIS

Mrs. Roxie Inman, Corres.

The women employees of the Lewis M. Mann factory held their second Polio Coffee Thursday during lunch period which netted \$14.75.

The Intermediate Girl Scouts had a skating party at the Community Skating Rink Monday afternoon.

Brown's Girl Scouts met at the School Hot Lunch Room Monday after school with 24 Scouts and the four leaders. Mrs. Leone Penley, Mrs. Edith Morey, Mrs. Eleanor Inman and Mrs. Maurice Morey present. Plans were made for a Valentine's party. Eleanor Perham, Christine Kanard, and Becky Andrews, who were observing birthdays selected gifts from "Teddy Bears" pockets while others sang the Birthday song to them.

The Senior Girl Scout supper and program held at Good Will Hall Monday night was a success. The program was as follows: Skit, A Shadow Operation; pantomime, Elvis Presley, by Mary Ann Perham; Scotch Auction; skit, Donut Sale; skit, Art Alliance; Scout Chorus, Elaine Penley, pianist.

Mrs. Lyndall Farr, teacher of grades one and two, was given a surprise birthday party Thursday during recess period. The party was arranged by her assistant teacher, Mrs. Ruth Reid, and former or assistant, Mrs. Gwen Ellingwood. Others attending were Mrs. Farr's

pupils and Miss Agnes Gray, Mrs. ship service.

Mrs. Stanley H. Wentzell, Gorham, N. H., was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Walter Inman, during the week.

Mrs. Grace Oliver returned to her home in Portland after spending the past three weeks with her sister, Mrs. Walter Penley.

A quarterly meeting of the Baptist Church was held at the Chapel Monday evening. As a special feature, a tape recording of the Metropolitan Additions of the Air on which William Flavin was presented, was much enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young Jr. and family of Orono are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young Sr.

Miss Shirley Ellingwood, U. of M. student, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ellingwood.

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## EAST BETHEL

Mrs. David Foster, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Grant of Winterport are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Elaine Dorothea, on January 29. Mrs. Grant is the former Miss Carolyn Noyes, of East Bethel.

Henry Swan and son, Alan, were at Camp Drum, N. Y., over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Austin of Mexico were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Al Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smith and family of Camp Drum, N. Y., moved into the house of Virgil Curtis this week end.

## STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-seven, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said January. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby

Ordered: That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, on the third Tuesday of February A. D. 1957, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

George H. Hammond, late of Bethel, deceased; First and Final Account presented for allowance by Clarence W. Hammond, administrator.

Clifton B. Littlehale, late of Malloway Plantation, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Beatrice Littlehale as executrix of the same, to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Beatrice Littlehale, the executrix therein named.

Leslie L. Littlehale, late of Lincoln Plantation, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Gwendolyn Natalie Littlehale as executrix of the same, with bond, presented by Gwendolyn Natalie Littlehale, the executrix therein named.

Raymond L. Nowlin, late of Newry, deceased; Petition for the appointment of John A. Nowlin or some other suitable person as administrator of the estate of said deceased with bond presented by John A. Nowlin, father.

Mary E. Lapham, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Perry C. Lapham as executor of the same to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Perry C. Lapham, the executor therein named.

Witness, Robert T. Smith Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-seven.

MARLIN R. CLIFFORD, Register

week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Bancroft of Cape

Elizabeth were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings.

Miss Ann Hastings and Warren Hastings have returned to the University of Maine.

Mrs. Ruth Hastings, Mrs. Rudolph Honkala and children, were week end visitors of Mrs. Linnie Cole in Greenwood.

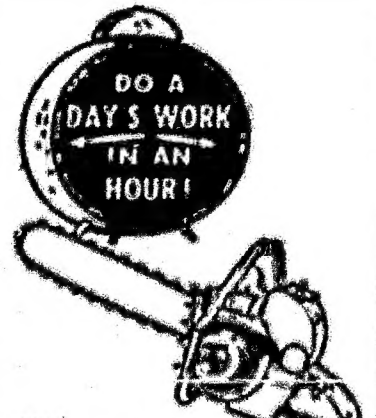
Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Edmunds and daughter, Sandra, Bobby Jordan, Mrs. Evelyn Harrington, and Mrs. Lewis Powers, all of South Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Al Cours of Norway were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Harrington.

Russell Parker has been ill with the flu, but is feeling much better at last reports.

Alder River Grange #145 will hold open house on February 15. Everyone is invited and welcome. A good program is planned and we hope people who are not Grangers will attend as well as all of our Grange friends. Be seeing you on February 15 at open house at Alder River Grange Hall, East Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hamlin, Cheryl, Cynthia and Pamela Hamlin of South Waterford, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Foster.

Alder River Grange #145 held a regular meeting on February 1 with 14 members present. The following committee was appointed to select a record player: Miss Jeanne Newton, Miss Phyllis Coolidge, and Miss Nancy Haines. The record player will be bought with the money raised by the box supper and card parties run by the Youth Committee. Another box supper and card party will be held on Friday, Feb. 8. It was voted to have three prizes for the best High-

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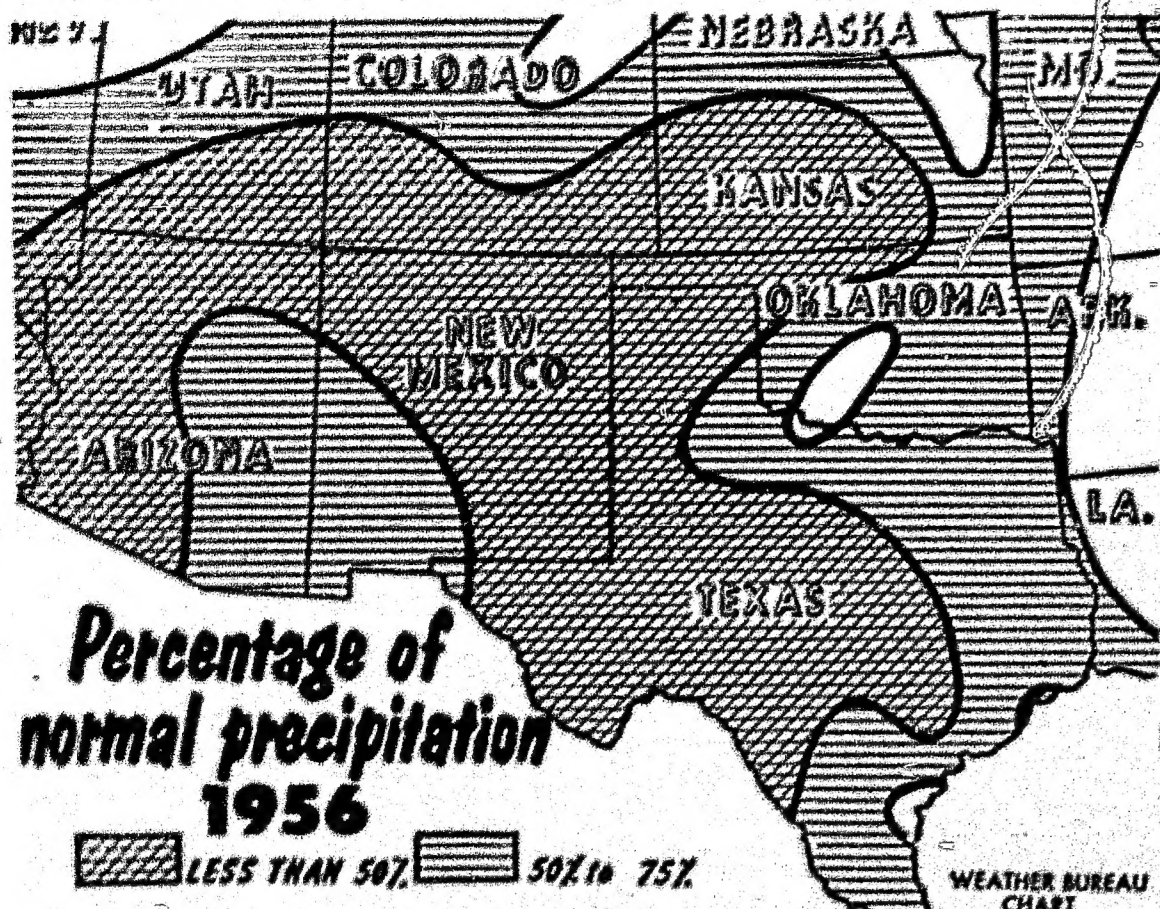


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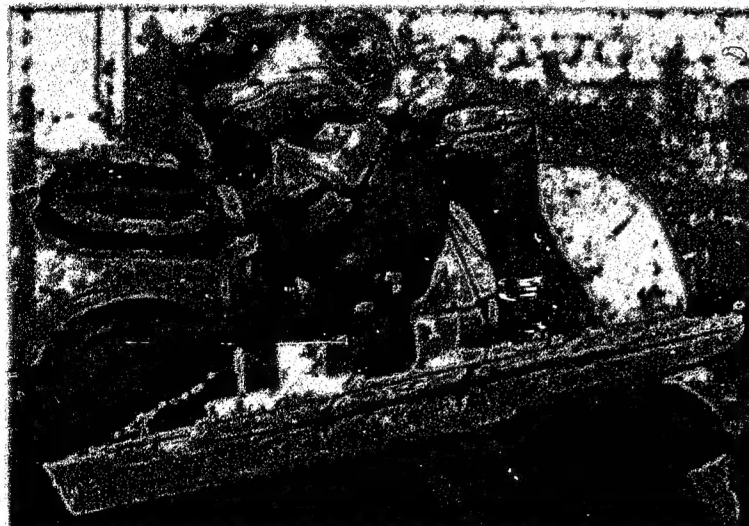
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SHIP SALVAGE... Geo. Ferry of Bethel shows how he'd raise \$20,000,000. Andrea Doria sank off Nantucket July 26, 1956, by pumping air into hull.

## NEWRY

The annual town reports are in the hands of the voters. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brooks of Manchester, N. H., were Saturday guests of Mrs. Willis Brooks and children.

Larry Leonard and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Leonard's car.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown have moved into James Duran's house. Joseph Hubbard, who is in poor health, is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Joel Merrill in Bethel.

George Leonard and Carrol Yates

## SONGO POND

Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Correspondent

Tommy Anderson visited his grandmother, Mrs. Lillian Puffer, in West Minor, several days last week.

Mrs. Ralph Kimball was in Gorham and Bethel, N. H., last Thursday.

Mrs. Marion Kimball and Mrs. Willis Dean visited relatives in Gorham, N. H., on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Martin and three boys were visitors Sunday at Ralph Kimball's.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kimball and children of South Waterford, were Sunday supper guests of the How and Lathams.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Aronson and children of Gorham, N. H., were Sunday supper guests of the Lathams.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kimball were calling on relatives here Sunday.

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attended the State employees' meeting at Hingham, Tuesday evening.

The State highway road crew attended the Highway Safety meeting in Rumford Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Fred Wright attended the Extension Association training class at Bethel Thursday.

Mrs. Leon Egan was hostess to the Ladies Circle Monday evening. Devotions were led by Mrs. Chester Chapman. It was voted to serve the usual "town meeting dinner."

The Extension Association Group will meet with Mrs. Chester Chapman Wednesday, Feb. 13. The subject will be Adequate Storage Space with Mrs. Fred Wright as leader.

Formosa's population of 2,500,000 almost matches that of Australia, a continent more than 200 times as large. Formosa is two hundred forty miles long and 80 miles wide, having about the same area as the Netherlands.

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## UPTON

Mrs. C. A. Jenkins, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Thompson of Bethel have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Barnett for the past week. Saturday evening they returned to Rumford Center with their son, Ray Thompson.

The Grange Card Party was held at the home of C. A. Jenkins Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick Jenkins spent the week end in Manchester, N. H. Mrs. Ruby Hawkins cared for the children while they were gone. They bought a 1954 Plymouth suburban.

Edward Bernier was home from Gould Academy over the week end. Floyd Elwell, the DHIA leader, was in town Sunday night.

Lloyd Egan, who has been training in the air force, stationed in Texas, is coming on leave this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Heywood and Mrs. Mabel Durkee of Bethel were in town Monday this week.

Mrs. Katharine Wight attended the Extension Service training class at Bethel one day last week.

Fred Jenkins and Mrs. C. A. Jenkins attended Pomona Grange at Bryant Pond, Tuesday, Feb. 5.



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## GOULD ACADEMY

Mexico 75—Gould 47

A vastly improved Mexico High team showed clever ball handling, good passing, and accurate shooting to down Gould Academy here last Tuesday by a 75 to 47 score. The Pintos went out front from the start and were never headed. Darryl Justus of the visitors was the game's outstanding scorer with 24 points.

In the preliminary game the Gould JV's played their best game of the season as Wheeler turned in 12 points to lead the way in a 22 to 26 victory.

	K	F	P
Mexico	7	1	15
Leavitt	0	0	0
Ferry	0	0	0
Adell	6	2	14
Cunningham	2	1	5
Justus	7	10	24
Chabot	1	0	2
Hammond	3	1	7
Viger	1	1	2
Garrett	2	1	5
Gallant	0	0	0
Totals	29	17	75
	K	F	P
Gould	4	6	14
Gidding	4	0	8
Feltner	4	0	8
Whitten	0	0	0
Smith	0	0	0
Stowell	2	0	4
Felt	0	1	1
Hill	1	2	4
Sumner	0	0	0
Lovell	0	0	0
Callagher	0	0	0
Totals	18	17	47

Mexico 15 24 53 75  
Gould 10 18 28 47

Boisvert, Lane, Four 26.  
Prelim: Gould 52, Mexico 26 (JV)

Gould Girls Compete in Play Day At Kent's Hill

Saturday, Feb. 9, the girls' varsity and junior varsity basketball teams and the ski team will depart from the Gould campus at 7 a. m. to compete for a second time this year against the girls' athletic squads of Kent's Hill. This is the first year in many that Gould has consented in having inter-scholastic sports for girls.

Under the guidance and supervision of the girls' athletic director, Miss Alice Duffy, the plans have been arranged for a winter play day, representing the girls' winter sports, skiing and basketball. Skiing will consist of the alpine events.

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downhill and slalom, to be raced in the morning at 9:30. After a luncheon and cursory acquaintance with the Kent's Hill campus, both a varsity and a JV basketball game will be played starting at 2:30.

Miss Duffy has been coaching the girls' basketball squad while Mr.

Myers and Mr. Richardson have been teaching the "ski girls" the rudiments of competitive racing. Their work has been greatly appreciated and it is hoped that their pointers will serve as great value to the girls when they meet the experienced teams of Kent's Hill.

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## THE LEGISLATURE

—continued from page one get more work done, more efficiently," he said, "and then too, we might be able to clear up confusion on some issues."

The State House light bill was another matter. It was "a permanent burning coal on my conscience," he said, to see the new office building lit up like a Christmas tree at night. The new structure is equipped with junior control for its batteries of fluorescent lamps. The superintendent of buildings has complained that employees returning at night sometimes turn on all the lights on a floor and leave them.

The Council talked the matter over and decided to have Albert Thurston of Rockland, electrical contractor, test out two ideas, one providing for individual switches with hanging cords, another for wall switches. The first would cost \$7,600, the latter about \$24,000. The first month's bill after the office building was opened was \$3,100.

75-Cent Minimum Wage Proposed. Although bills providing for a state minimum wage law have been defeated in earlier legislatures, it is conceded that such a measure has a chance of enactment in 1957.

Ben Hazel C. Lord (R-Portland) has introduced a measure providing for a 75-cent hourly minimum wage in intrastate commerce. Sup-

porters of a state minimum pay law are hopeful in view of the fact that both Republican and Democratic platforms this year endorsed the principle.

Education Board Sees "Crisis" in Maine Budget

The Chairman of the State Board of Education this week expressed the belief that the governor's balanced budget for current services would deal a crippling blow to education in Maine. Even with funds the governor recommended in his supplemental budget, depending upon new taxes the need in some areas would not be met, according to Ernest C. Marriner of Waterville.

There is a two-fold problem, the Appropriations Committee was told: To do everything possible in the face of increased enrollments, and to meet the "even more difficult problem" of supply an adequate number of teachers. Marriner said 77 per cent of the \$23,600,000 the department requested for the next fiscal year would go to the municipalities as subsidies. "I feel we are facing a definite crisis," he said.

Marriner recommended some \$22,500,000 in his balanced budget and Ben Hazel C. Lord (R-Portland) has added \$1,100,000 in the supplemental budget.

Milk Price Control. The much-discussed issue of milk

price control crystallized into six bills, filed on this week's closing legislative day by Rep. Robert W. Maxwell (R-Winthrop). A member of the Legislative Research Committee, Maxwell said his proposals comprise the first move toward eventual repeal of milk price control.

Repeal at this time, he said, would be unfair to business established under the control system and the committee is waiting until the industry is able to fully take care of itself.

The six bills have these objectives: Two more consumer members on the Commission; exclusion of private, non-profit institutions from minimum prices set by the Commission; mandatory price differential between milk sold in stores and that delivered to homes; price discounts for multiple sales of home delivered milk; and removal from the Commission's price-fixing jurisdiction of the farmer who produces and sells milk on his own farm.

Chebeague Island Bridge-Causeway. Cumberland officials, citizens of Yarmouth and residents of Chebeague Island in Casco Bay appeared at a Wednesday hearing before the Committee on Highways and supported the idea that a bridge and causeway connecting that island with the mainland would substantially increase the development potential of Greater Portland. The Regional Planning Commission for the area endorsed the plan for a toll facility, which would be financed by a \$3-million state bond issue.

Reforestation for Burned Over Areas. Areas burned over in the disastrous 1947 forest fires would be returned to productivity under a plan prepared by Rep. William H. Bruce (R-Bar Mills) with the expenditure of \$100,000 in reforestation. A state forest rehabilitation program would be instituted in cooperation with the federal soil bank program. Much of the work would be done by inmates of state institutions.

Need For Nursing Home Care. "The one major need which we disregard entirely—nursing home care for the aged," has been brought to the attention of the Legislature by Maine's Health and Welfare Commissioner, Dr. Dean H. Fisher, recommended appropriation for that purpose, telling the Appropriations Committee that some 2,500 people are in nursing homes, 600 of them old age assistant beneficiaries.

A survey, he said, showed that about 25 percent of nursing home patients pay less than \$100 a month for their care. He added that adequate care is not possible at that figure.

Dr. Fisher had asked for \$1-million in the next biennium to establish a nursing home program. Governor Muskie put the item in the supplemental budget, which meant that it would be available only if new revenue is available.

Dr. Fisher told the Committee that the million, plus \$140,000 in federal funds which it would bring would make the needed nursing home service a reality.

Parents and Juvenile Vandalism. Members of the Maine Federation of Women's Clubs believe that parents will take greater interest in where their children are and what they are doing if enactment is given a bill introduced by Sen. Hazel C. Lord (R-Portland) under which parents would become jointly responsible, up to \$250, for willful and malicious damage or personal injury caused by their offspring. The Portland Senator in a hearing before the Judiciary Committee, pointed out that juvenile vandalism in the Detroit area dropped 20 percent in the first year in which parents were made financially responsible. No one appeared in opposition to the Lord measure.

Four Town Corporations Into One. Rep. Orville H. Haughn (R-Bethel) is sponsoring legislation to repeal Bridgton's corporation charter in order to consolidate four separate corporations into one. Haughn explained that the town now has the Town of Bridgton Corp., Village Center Corp., Village Center Water Corporation, and Village Center Fire Corporation. They

## HOSPITAL AUXILIARY HOLDS SILVER TEA WEDNESDAY

The annual Silver Tea sponsored by the Bethel Auxiliary of the Rumford Community Hospital was held at the Philip Chadbourne home on Broad Street Wednesday afternoon.

Those pouring were Mrs. Leon Wilson, Mrs. Patrick O'Brien, Mrs. Leland Brown and Mrs. Lawrence Lord. The carriage robe was won by Mrs. Leon Wilson.

Those attending were: Mrs. Frances Miller, Biddeford; Mrs. Ada Nichols, Buffalo, N. Y.; Mrs. Vincent Carjano, Mrs. Delbert Morrison, Mrs. Kai Wolff, Mrs. Arthur

Jones, Mrs. Carolyn Dickson, all of Rumford; Mrs. Francis Noyes, Norway; Mrs. Carey York, Mrs. Richard Bryant, Mrs. Dale Thurston, Mrs. Patrick O'Brien, Mrs. William Von Zint, Mrs. Thomas Brown, Mrs. Stanley Davis, Mrs. Avery Angeline, Mrs. Maurice Kendall, Mrs. Blake MacKay, Mrs. Paul Kelley, Mrs. Wilbur Myers, Mrs. George Bowhay, Mrs. Sadye Robertson, Mrs. Charles Keokio, Miss Alice Colby, Mrs. Vance Richardson, Mrs. Estelle Goggin, Mrs. John Carter, Mrs. Gloria Winslow, Mrs. Henry Boyker, Mrs. R. M. Nichols.

Mrs. Cheslie Saunders, Mrs. Hugh Thurston, Mrs. Howard Cole, Mrs. Paul Thurston, Mrs. Donald Christie, Mrs. Elwood Ireland, Mrs. Gayle Foster, Mrs. Gerald Kneeland, Mrs. Frank Lowell, Miss Mary Whitney, Miss Valeria Kimball, Mrs. Henry Hastings, Mrs. Charles Epper, Mrs. Lawrence Lord, Mrs. Dana Douglass Sr., Mrs. Edna Douglass, Mrs. Guy Butler, Mrs. Dana Douglass Jr., Mrs. Walter Marcuse, Mrs. John Tebbets, Mrs. Leland Brown, Mrs. John Lanni, Mrs. Wallace Saunders, Mrs. Leon Wilson.

Plans were made for the 1957 drive which starts March 1. The quota this year will be \$743. Approximately 60 percent will go to National Headquarters and 40 percent remain for local use.

Vance Richardson, Bethel local chairman, has appointed Division Captains: Richard Bryant, Mrs. Murray Thurston, Clifford Hillier, Mrs. Pearlina McMillin.

**JORDAN COMPLETING BASIC TRAINING AT FORT BENNING**

Army Pvt. Arnold E. Jordan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orland Jordan of Locke Mills, is scheduled to complete eight weeks of basic combat training with the 3d Infantry Division at Fort Benning, Ga., early this month. Jordan entered the Army in December 1956.

The 22-year-old soldier was employed by the Elco-Tebbets Co. Inc., before entering the Army. He was graduated from Gould Academy in 1952.

bill, Haughn says, "would dissolve everything and make it all the Town of Bridgton Corporation. The Water Corp. would become a water district." He expressed the view that this measure would put all the town's administrative functions into one package and make for better town government.

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## GILEAD

— Mrs. Florence Holder, Corra. — Clayton Bryant returned to Parnachence Monday after spending the week end with his mother, Mrs. FM Holder.

Gilbert McCann of Portland was a business visitor in town, Monday. Larry Losier Jr. and family of Shelburne, N. H., have moved into the Wiseman rent.

Mrs. Lester Witter returned home Friday from Lexington, Mass., after several days spent with her son John Lester Witter, Jr.

Miss Betty Tyler was a recent guest of her sister, Mrs. Robert Hutchins in Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cole have closed their home here and left Tuesday for Delaware where they will visit relatives.

Raymond Holder had the misfortune to crush two of his fingers Tuesday while working at the Burgess mill, Berlin, N. H.

Clarence Pratt of Gorham, N. H., was a visitor in town Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Tilton York and Mr. and Mrs. Hershel York of Canton were guests of Mrs. Rachel Decoster, Tuesday.

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## SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. Olive Davis, Corres.

Mr and Mrs George Blake of North Paris were Friday afternoon callers at Mr and Mrs Edw. Curtis, remaining for supper before returning home.

Friday afternoon the Primary Grades had a doll and mechanical toy contest followed by an impromptu program conducted by Pamela Hagar. The doll contest for the girls consisted of three prizes which were awarded to Rebecca Andrews for the prettiest large doll (a bride doll); the prettiest small doll to Pamela Hagar; the oldest doll to Linda Koskela. The toy contest prizes went to Bruce Thunlow for the biggest and best, to Craig Ryerson, for the smallest, and James Lamb for the oddest, a chuck wagon. The program consisted of songs, plays, recitations, pantomimes, etc., carried out entirely by the children in a very commendable way. The judges for the doll contest were Philip Helen, Cynthia Lamb, Patricia Thunlow; for the trucks, Philip Helen, Hazel Andrews and Esther Davis. We thank them kindly for their help. The children were very pleased to have so many of their mothers come to their program. Those attending were: Mrs John Cox and daughter, Susan; Mrs Carl Cash and son, Charles; Mrs Maurice Morgan and daughter, Wendy; Mrs Leslie Thunlow and daughter, Leslie; Mrs Sayward Lamb and son, Ronald, daughter, Natalie; Mrs Leonard Andrews, and Mrs Guyson Davis.

Several from this way were in Norway to the open house held at the hospital the past week.

Mr and Mrs Sayward Lamb took

## SOCIETY DIRECTORY

Mr. Abram Lodge, No. 21, I. O. O. F. Meets Friday evenings. N. G. Shirley Chase, Rec. Secretary, George Lothrop.

Samuel Hebeek Lodge, No. 64, Meets first and third Monday evenings. U. G. Ferol Godwin, Rec. Secretary, Adelle Saunders.

Purity Chapter, No. 104, O. E. S. Meets first Wednesday evenings. W. M. Dorothy York, Secretary, Helen Runnels.

Pleasant Valley Grange, No. 186, West Bethel. Meets second and fourth Thursdays. Master, Gordon Mason, Secretary, Lettie Hall.

Bethel Chamber of Commerce. Meets first Tuesdays. President, Elwood Ireland, Secretary, Wallace Saunders.

W. B. C. S. Methodist Church. Meets third Thursday evening at 7:30 P. M. President, Sylvia Luce.

Banner Garden Guild. Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings. President, Ramona Lowe, Secretary, Nina Cook.

Ladies Club, Congregational Church. Meets first and third Thursday afternoons. President, Mrs. Henry Boyer, Secretary, Mrs. R. H. Tibbels.

Women's Fellowship of West Parish Congregational Church. Meets second Wednesday of January, April, October, December. Pres., Mrs. Larry Barker, Sec., Mrs. Robert N. Cook.

Bethel Lodge, No. 27, F. & A. M. Meets second Thursday evenings. W. M. Wilbur R. Myers, Secretary, Henry H. Hastings.

Bethel Lions Club. Meets second and fourth Mondays. President, Stanley Gallant, Secretary, James McGinnis.

Music Appreciation Group. Meets every other Thursday at 8 p. m. in Guild Academy Music Room. President, Florence Emery, Secretary, Janet Richardson.

Music Brotherhood, Methodist Church. Meets first Tuesday evening. President, Edna Fane, Secretary, Donald Christie.

Parent Teacher Association. Meets third Tuesday evenings. President, Clifford Haller, Secretary, Louisa Bonds.

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## LAFF OF THE WEEK



"There's people walkin' around on him!"

supper at Mr and Mrs Newton Lamb's at West Paris one night this week.

Mrs Martha Heikkinen went to Waltham with Mr and Mrs Maybloom where she will visit with her daughter, Mrs Helvi Tuomi and family for a while.

Elaine Thunlow and a friend, Miriam Corallo Casely, were home from Atlantic Union College, Lancaster, over the week end. Also Beryl Thunlow was at her home.

Cynthia Bowen went to Lancaster to attend Atlantic Union College, beginning this semester.

Mr and Mrs Guyson Davis and two daughters returned home from Florida the middle of the week. George Davis remained with Cliff Wilson for the rest of the winter.

Mrs Gayden Davis was in Norway Saturday.

Miriam Morgan took Elaine Thunlow and friend, Miriam Corallo Casely, to Portland Sunday night where they will return to Lancaster to school.

Obedience is yielded more readily to one who commands gently.

—Seneca Mrs Paul Head, West Bethel, Mrs

## WEST BETHEL

Mrs. Ruth Gilbert, Corres.

Howard Rolfe, who is studying at Nassau College, Springfield, spent several days last week with his parents, Mr and Mrs Bernard Rolfe. He returned to college Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Richard Walker and Diana and Mrs Arthur Gilbert and Roberta were at Rumford Thursday.

Mr and Mrs Clayton Kendall were at Moosehead Lake ice fishing during the week end.

Mr and Mrs Donald Bennett, Portland, were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Albert Bennett and Mr and Mrs Carroll Abbott.

Miss Jane Lunt, Bethel, was a guest of Miss Sheila Gilbert Friday night.

Mrs Roger Clough returned home from the CMG Hospital, Lewiston, Sunday, where she had been a patient for two weeks.

Mr and Mrs Bernard Rolfe were at Springfield, Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Charles Hancock, and Mrs Paul Head, West Bethel, Mrs

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to relatives, friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during our great loss, also to Legion Post and Auxiliary, 40 and 5 and 40, also for cards and floral tributes.

Leslie Compass  
Arthur Compass  
Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Watson and family

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Dickinson and family

James Spinney and Mrs Horace Tibbels, South Bethel, attended Pomona at Bryant Pond Tuesday.

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## LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. Florence Swift, Corres.

Mrs Kathleen Roberts is working nights in the Ekco-Tobacco plant.

Mrs Eva Keniston, West Paris, and Mrs Sybil Kimball, South Paris, spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Raynor Littlefield and Mrs Lillian Blake.

Roland Martin and Paul Bartlett have enlisted in the Air Force and left for Lackland Air Base, Texas, last week.

Mrs Fannie Cummings, Bryant Pond, spent several days last week with Mr and Mrs Harry Swift.

Mrs Barbara Wakefield is ill and unable to work.

Mrs Leland Dunham is serving on the grand jury at Rumford.

The little daughter of Mr and Mrs Albert Cross has been named Laurie Jean.

Mrs Mark Mills is a surgical patient at the Rumford Community Hospital.

Miss June Swan of Portland is visiting her sister Mrs Bertha Emmons.

A police clinic will be held at the village school house Wednesday, Feb. 20, from 3:30 p. m. to 4:00 p. m.

Mrs Norwood Ford is caring for the children of Mrs Leroy Martin, Jr., while Mrs Martin is working

## SUNDAY RIVER

Mr. R. M. Fleet, Corres.

Roland Fleet is gaining from his recent sick spell.

Gerald Olson did the chores for R. M. Fleet.

Leslie Kendall helped Roy Bennett break the roads in this neighborhood.

Laura Yates and Julia Fleet were in Norway, Monday, Feb. 4.

John Nowlin is having trouble with one of his knees.

David Fleet was in Lewiston Saturday.

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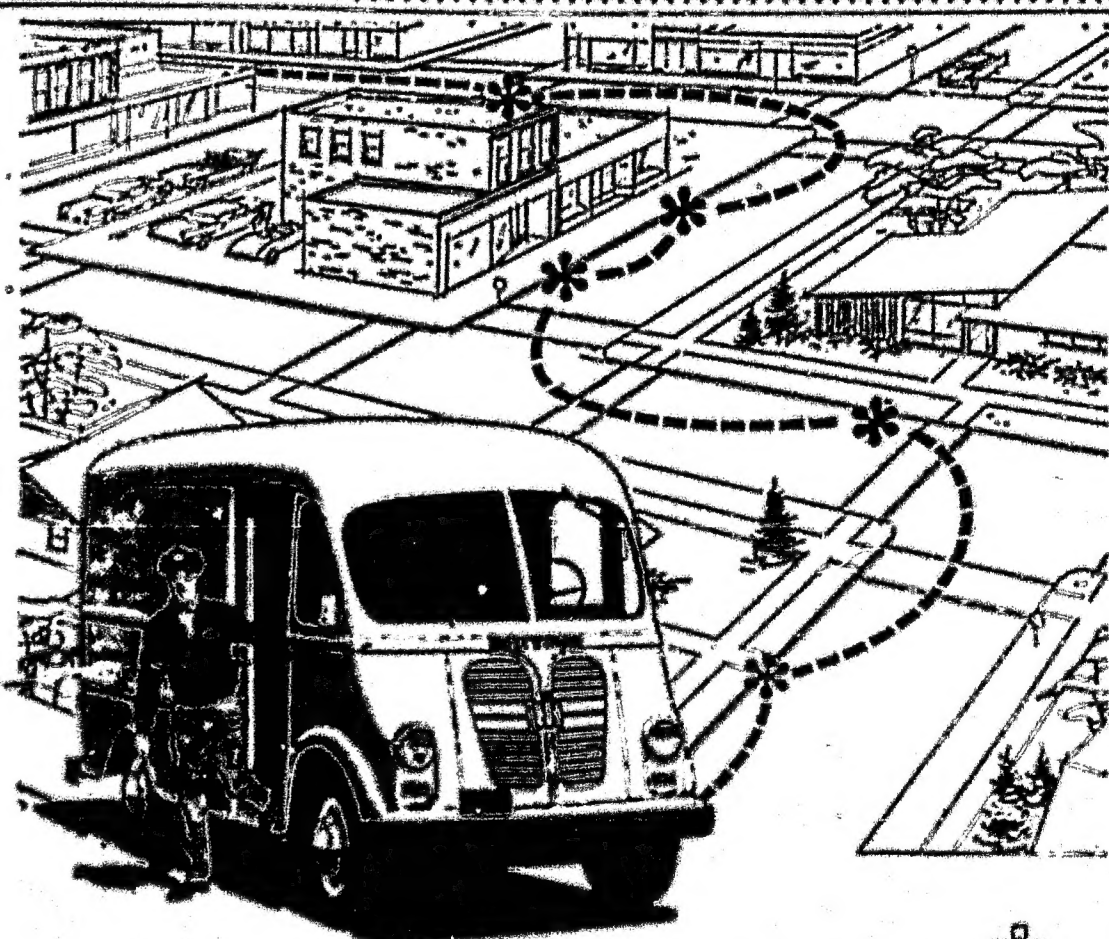
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## ALBANY HUNT'S CORNER

— Mrs. Harlan Bumpus, Corcoran. —  
Mr and Mrs Phillips Brooks of  
Bethel, and Harlan Bumpus were  
Sunday callers of Mr and Mrs John  
Spinney.

Mr and Mrs Alfred Leighton  
were recent callers at Hugh  
Searns'.

Carlton Rugg has employment  
at the shoe shop at Norway, and  
is staying with Mr and Mrs Paul  
Fox.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Hazelton  
and children, Tony and Vicky, of  
Bridgton, were Sunday dinner  
guests at Harlan Bumpus'.

## GOULD ACADEMY

Mechanic Falls Takes Gould

Last Friday at the Norway Ar-  
mory Gould Academy dropped its  
second game to the Mechanic Falls  
basketeers. With Red Barry scor-  
ing heavily in the first portion of  
the game Mechanic Falls jumped  
to an early commanding lead to  
sink the Huskies 53 to 37. Barry  
was high point man with 29 points.  
Roberts, Cotton, and Ashby also  
scored in double figures for the  
winners.

For Gould, Giddings led the scor-  
ing but with only nine points. It  
was the tenth setback in 12 games  
for an undermanned Gould team  
that has been having its toughest  
season in many years.

Gould	Mechanic Falls
Ciddings, f	4 1 3
Felder	2 1 5
Whitten	3 1 7
Sumner	0 0 0
Smith, c	0 0 1
Stowell	2 0 4
Felt, g	3 1 7
Hill	1 0 2
Lowell	0 0 0
White	1 0 2
Gallagher	0 0 0
Totals	15 5 37
Mechanic Falls	4 1 3
Roberts, f	7 0 14
Maher	3 1 7
Cotton	5 0 10
Ayers	0 0 0
Arris, c	2 1 5
Ed Sargent	2 0 4
Ed Sargent	0 0 0
Barry, g	12 5 29
Blasbee	0 1 1
Ashby	4 2 10
Curtis	1 0 2
Totals	38 11 53
Gould	10 19 29
Mechanic Falls	24 45 62

Dufresne, Burgess, Four 8's.

Gould Plays Last Two Games Away

At South Paris Friday

Friday the Gould Varsity and

JV's will play return games with

the South Paris teams. The Car-

dinals defeated Gould before the

holidays and although they haven't

fared so well of late they still are

favored to win on the home floor.

The JV game is scheduled to start

at 6:30.

At Farmington Tuesday

The Huskies will wind up their

1957 season playing at Farmington

on Tuesday. The first tussle at

Bethel was a close one with Gould

holding a lead most of the game

only to be nosed out at the finish.

The JV's won a one point thriller

against the Greyhound underdog-

les, so both games should be close

ones.

Gould Skiers at Farmington

The Gould Academy ski team

will travel to Farmington this week

end to compete in the State meet.

Gould will be trying to retain

its championship won in 1956.

Gould showed poorly in the Ed-

ward Little Ski Carnival and will

have to improve to keep its title.

Last week end Gould downed

Kennet High of Conway, N. H.

Gerry Smith won undivided honors

in the Gould victory.

## THE BAFFLES

By Mahoney



## SCHOOL NEWS

Grade 6—Miss Varner

The Polio containers were col-  
lected. We hope our small dona-  
tions helped.—We had a movie en-  
titled "Touring Central America."  
—We are collecting Maltex and  
Maypo Oats box tops to send in  
for premiums.—Monday to begin  
to multiply fractions. In Social  
Studies we are now studying Mex-  
ico.—Last Friday afternoon at 2:30  
we were invited to Mrs. Lord's  
room for a "dance party." We had a  
very nice time and we thank them.  
—Reporter, Philip Coolidge.

Grade 6—Mrs. Doris Lord

You should see our Mexican Pin-  
atas! We think they are quite good.  
Everyone made one. This week we  
gave reports on "A Trip to Mexico."  
We also gave one minute news re-  
ports. You wouldn't believe a min-  
ute could be so long. — Mrs. Lord  
and Mrs. Epper took several Boy  
Scouts to Hebron Academy Sun-  
day afternoon—where they enjoyed  
swimming.—Nancy Brown has new  
glasses. She looks very attrac-  
tive in them.—We are now multi-  
plying a mixed number by a mixed  
number in fraction work.—We wish  
to thank Mr. Smith for his Nature  
Magazine picture.

Grade 7—Mrs. E. Lord

We had a nice couple come talk  
to us about Saudi Arabia, Monday,

Jan. 28. We thought it was very

nice of them to tell us about the  
Middle East. Their names are Mr.  
and Mrs. Erlenmeyer of the Aram-  
co Oil Co.—Nancy Saunders is out  
with a broken collar bone. We hope  
she gets well soon.—We have start-  
ed geometrical designs in arith-  
metics. We are studying Africa and  
we are making notebooks.—Report-  
er, Evelyn Mundt.

GREENWOOD CITY SCHOOL

This week the seventh and  
eighth grades studied the planets,  
sun and stars.—The fourth grade  
made a book on automobiles.—The  
third grade finished a study of  
North American animals and start-  
ed a study of South American ones.  
—We have been learning the song:  
"Mama from the Train."—Friday  
morning Mr. Christie visited us.  
—We have some new spelling  
charts. They are shaped like frogs.  
We put a star on for every 100%  
we get.—The seventh and eighth  
grades have been putting puzzles  
together in their spare time.—Fri-  
day afternoon we made valentines  
with faces. They are made in  
pairs. One looks like a man and  
one like a woman. We call them  
Vickie and Verne.—The seventh  
and eighth grades had a difficult  
crossword puzzle in their Current  
Events. No one was able to com-  
plete it. — John Curtis, Reporter.

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## BRYANT POND

— Mrs. Edith C. Abbott, Cor. —

Franklin Grange met Saturday  
night with a large attendance, in-  
cluding eight Past Masters and six  
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Dudley has been a member 62 years.  
The third and fourth degrees were  
conferred in an able manner by  
a ladies' degree team, with officers  
as follows: Master, Lottie Brooks;  
Overseer, Olive Davis; Steward,  
Charlotte Cole; Lecturer, Eva C.  
Twitchell; Chaplain, Margaret  
Wheeler; Secretary, Verna Swan;  
Treasurer, Elsie Cole; Asst. Stew-  
ard, Miriam McAllister; Lady Asst.  
Steward, Phyllis Jordan; Flora,  
Flora Cole; Pomona, Louie Sweet-  
set; Ceres, Jeannette Carlin; Plan-  
ist, Eva Mills. Refreshments were  
served after the meeting by Harris  
Hathaway, Carl Brooks and Robert  
Davis. Each member is requested  
to bring something for a tasting  
party at the next meeting, Feb. 16.

Mr and Mrs James D Billings  
were at Yarmouth, Thursday and  
Friday of last week.

Mr and Mrs Leslie Abbott were  
dinner guests of Mr and Mrs George  
H Abbott at North Woodstock last  
Thursday.

Ensign Sterling Mills and Mrs  
Mills returned to the home of his  
parents, Mr and Mrs Norman Mills,  
Jan. 27. Mrs Mills will stay in  
Maine, while he will return to his  
base at San Diego, Calif., Feb. 14.

Miss Christine Berry is staying  
at the home of Floyd Keniston  
and attending Woodstock High  
School.

Lloyd Cushman was at home from  
Wentworth Institute, Boston, from  
Wednesday night until Sunday.

Thursday evening, Feb. 7, the  
first Get Acquainted meeting for  
parents of boys from 11 to 18 years  
of age, who are interested in or-  
ganizing a Boy Scout Troop, will  
be held at the High School at 7:30.  
A second Get Acquainted meeting

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thanking our neighbors and friends  
for their kind expressions of sym-  
pathy in our bereavement. These  
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Wednesday evening Feb. 13, with

parents and friends invited. Aw-

ards will be made at this time.

Mrs Hugh Durgin Dixfield, spent

Tuesday with her mother, Mrs ter.

Oneal Mills.

Jefferson Chapter, OES, will meet

Friday night for the stated meet-

ing. Refreshments will be served

after the meeting in charge of El-

den Hathaway, Harold Tyler, How-

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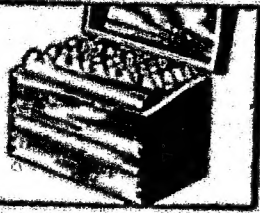
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## FROM OUR FILES



## 10 YEARS AGO

Heavy rain made driving dangerous. River ice was broken up and jams formed in several places. Roads were under water.

Gold Academy participated in the first annual downhill and slalom competitions sponsored by the Ski Instructors Association of Maine and won all three trophies.

Deaths: Mrs. Hugh Brown, Mrs. Olive Howe.

## 20 YEARS AGO

The Red Cross announced the gift of \$27,500 from William Dingham and for the flood relief fund.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Briggs of

West Paris escaped serious injuries when their car was struck by a freight engine and hurled 20 feet over a 15 foot embankment. The car was demolished.

Deaths: Clifton Herbert Swan, Miss Fannie C. Hastings, Ralph D. Thurston.

## 33 YEARS AGO

The Sunday River bridge was condemned by the State Highway department. A survey of the bridge was taken. Figures would be presented at the annual town meeting.

A farewell reception to Rev. and Mrs. S. T. Achenbach was held at Bethel Inn.



De'ay Chain Patrol 5, Troop 1, met at their leader's, Faith Brown's, home. Faith asked if we would like to have The Lucky 13 4-H Group come watch Mrs. Saunders' slides of France. We also had no meeting because we had a lot to do. We drew names for Valentine's Day. We did some work on our Hospitality Badge. We left at 4:15. —Sec. Sharon York.

Brown's Troop 27 met at the Legion Room on February 6th with their leaders, Virginia Mundy, Doris Lowell and Monique Rolfe. We made special plans for a Mother's Tea to be held on February 12. We learned the meaning of the World pin. Our meeting closed by all singing America. —Barbara Jan Hutchinson, Reporter.

Second Grade Brownies met Tuesday, Feb. 5, at the Primary School with 18 girls present. Refreshments were furnished by Caroline Mills. Games were played. The flag ceremony was held. The girls made paper doll puppets.

Brownies Troop 3 met at the home of their leader, Betty Robertson. Refreshments were furnished by Rhonda Brown and Harriett Hillier. The meeting was spent making Valentines. A good night circle was formed outdoors.

## BOY SCOUTS

The Beaver Patrol had charge of the Scout meeting last week. Dwight Lord opened and closed the meeting. Delmar McMillin gave a report on Scout Laws. Tommy Swettler assigned group two of the Morse Code to be worked on during the week. Tommy Chabourne brought a movie for amusement.

Nine boys went to Hebron Academy on Sunday P. M. for swimming. Tommy Chabourne and Dwight Lord passed the required swimming distances for 1st class Scout. The other boys on the trip were Fred Lincoln, George Eysen, Clarence Hemington Jr., Nelson Smith, Tommy Brooks, Eddie Tinkler, David Myers, Peter Davison, Mrs. Lawrence Lord, Mrs. Arthur Lincoln and Mrs. Charles Eysen. They all enjoyed the group.

Boy Scout Council met at the two o'clock meeting. Mrs. Helen Saunders, Mrs. George Grant and Mrs. George Grant were present. We drew names to draw cash prizes. The drawing was held.

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## News of 4-H CLUBS

Bethel Busy Bees — We met at Mrs. Morrill's house for our meeting. Mrs. Kneeland brought Linda Kneeland, her niece. We had our business meeting. After that Mrs. Morrill showed us how to make All-Brain muffins. We chose a new secretary, Carol Flint. Next week Norma Kimball and Carol Flint will bring refreshments. Next week we will have a muffin judging contest.

The Lucky 13 4-H Club met Feb. 6 at the home of the leader, Mrs. Abbie Brown. Assistant Leader Mrs. Rachel Mackay demonstrated on Steeplechase Blouse Treatment. Some of the girls are starting on dresses for Byle Dress Revue. Next meeting we are to bring our note books and account forms. Reporter, Julia Brown.

Zippy Snappers 4-H Club — The meeting was called to order. We had the treasurer's report, and roll call. We made a sunshine basket for Nancy Saunders because she has a broken her collar bone. We had a judging contest on setting the table. Claudia DeMonte was first, Sharon York was second and Beth Brown was third. Refreshments were served. —Reporter, Claudia DeMonte.

## PORTIN AT LORING AFB FOR GUIDED MISSILE TRAINING

Army Pvt. Gerald J. Fortin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip L. Fortin of Hanover, is receiving on-the-job training with the 548th Antiaircraft Artillery Battalion's Battery B at Loring Air Force Base.

Fortin, a former employee of Mount Zircon Spring Water Co. in Rumford, entered the Army last October and received basic training at Fort Knox, Ky. He attended Gould Academy and Stephens High School.

## METHODIST JUNIOR CHOIR

Plans are going forward rapidly for the Valentine supper to be held at the church dining room Friday, Feb. 15 at 6:30 p. m. Waitresses: Charlene Swain, Evelyn Mundy, Carolyn Wilson, Marjorie Brown, Linda Paine, Beth Brown, Julia Brown. Chairman of supper, Abbie Brown. Mrs. Foster, Nestle Littlefield, Mrs. Paul, Tickets, Nancy Fox, Traffon Foster, Bethany Bean, Claire Berry, Norma Sloan, Charlene Swain, Duane Gordon, Vivian Brown, Carol Flint, Vickie Robertson, Nancy Brown.

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## MAGALLOWAY

Mrs. Rosalee Harvey, Correspondent Mr. and Mrs. George Stranger and son Joseph of Berlin N. H., visited Fred Bennett Saturday evening and Sunday. They also called on Mrs. Mabel Cameron Sunday.

Mark Harvey is working with his bulldozer at the Durkee place. Wendell Bragg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bragg, was home from the University of Maine for a week's vacation and his brother, Larry, was home from Gould Acad-

## RUMFORD RAISES \$1,035,813

At the annual town meeting in Rumford Monday the citizens voted appropriations totalling \$1,035,813. This compares with 1956 appropriations of \$1,008,766. The session of about 4 1/2 hours is one of the longest recorded. Judge Fred Hanson was moderator. The appropriations:

Summer roads	\$38,000
Winter roads	38,000
Bituminous surfacing	15,000
Snow removal, state highway	1,486
State aid road construction	6,390
Cutting bushes	1,500
Sidewalk construction	5,000
Sidewalk repairs	5,000
Sewer construction	14,000
Maintenance of sewers	3,000
Equipment for snow removal, street maintenance	15,000
Street lights	20,900
Christmas lights	750
Improvement of streets	14,912
Smith Crossing street account	2,500
Reconstruction, Lowell St.	4,000
Rumford Pt. fire protection	1,500
Public library	10,217
Rumford park commission	11,500
Memorial Day observance	75
Maine Publicity Bureau	250
Chisholm Ski Club	1,000
Aid to Dependent Children	9,000
Town poor	15,000
Rumford Community Hospital	9,708
Garbage collection	12,430
Police department	62,897
Fire department	55,812
Hydrant rental	15,770
Civil defense	1,000
Municipal building operation and maintenance	8,000
Social Security	5,500
Town officers	43,977
Office supplies	3,000
Insurance	7,500
Miscellaneous expenses	4,500
Pensions in police and fire departments	5,087
Town group life insurance plans	2,000
Audit and system study	18,000
Abatement of taxes	1,500
Bonded debt payments	40,000
Interest	21,581
School department	293,221
Special school accounts	30,868
School repairs, insurance, rental and equipment	19,270
Construction and equipment of school buildings	48,000

emy over the week end.

Most of the people who have been ill with colds and the gripe are much better.

Clyde Knights, who is employed by Brooks Brothers of Bethel, was in town Thursday delivering gas. The two Berube children, who attend the convent in Colebrook, were home the past week end.

According to a television program the past month was the coldest January in 75 years and the roughest one ever recorded.

According to Mr. Woodchuck we will have six weeks more winter at least.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Bennett called on her mother Sunday afternoon.

Three small raccoons are coming to A Donald Cameron's house to be fed. They seem to be living under the shed.

The Lawrence Parsons family at the Brown Farm is supposed to be on the Channel 8 Brown Company program at 8 p. m. Thursday.

A great number of trucks are hauling loads of long lumber and pulp by all the time now excepting Sundays.

A nice letter from Mr. and Mrs. John Frederickson who moved to Bridgeport, Conn. last October, was read at a recent Grange meeting.

He that is good at making excuses is seldom good for anything else. —Benjamin Franklin

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